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Serial No. 09/463,098)
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For: "Mimotopes of)
Hypervariable Region 1)
of the E2 Glycoprotein)
of HCV and Uses Thereof")

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UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§1.821-1.825 AND SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

To comply with the requirements under 37 C.F.R. §§1.821-1.825, submitted herewith is a sequence listing of the amino acids and nucleotides presented in the above-referenced application as amended by preliminary amendment. The sequence listing is being submitted in both paper copy and computer-readable form. Applicants respectfully request entry of the sequence listing into the above identified patent application. The undersigned hereby verifies that the paper copy and computer readable form of the sequence listing are identical to those set forth in the specification as amended and do not contain any new matter.

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